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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, UNSC, ZA, WA, SF

SUBJECT: SECURITY COUNCIL: ZAMBIAN COMPLAINT

REF: USUN 2996

1. DURING MEETING WITH AFRICAN GROUP MORNING JULY 23, ZAMBIAN FOREIGN MINISTER MWALE OUTLINED JULY 11 INCIDENT, AND REFERRED REPEATEDLY TO SC RESOLUTION 300 OF 1971. HE DID NOT SPECIFICALLY CALL FOR CHAPTER VII LANGUAGE.

2. AT SUBSEQUENT MEETING WITH BRITISH, ZAMBIANS SAID THAT THEY WERE WELL AWARE OF DELICACY INVOLVED IN SOUTHERN AFRICAN NEGOTIATIONS, THAT ZAMBIA HAD NOT YET DECIDED UPON PRECISELY WHAT IT WISHED TO COME OUT OF DEBATE. ZAMBIAN DEPUTY PERMREP ZIMBA ADDED THAT WERE THERE OPPOSITION AMONG COUNCIL MEMBERS TO TYPE OF RESOLUTION ZAMBIA WISHED, ZAMBIA MIGHT ARGUE FOR DEBATE WITHOUT A RESOLUTION OR PREFER DROPPING DEBATE ENTIRELY. ZAMBIANS ARE DRAFTING A RESOLUTION OVER THE WEEKEND, WHICH THEY PLAN TO SHOW TO AFRICAN GROUP JULY 26. SC PRESIDENT'S OFFICE HAS SAID THERE ARE

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NO PLANS FOR SC CONSULTATIONS AND THAT FORMAL MEETING WILL

BE HELD AT EARLIEST AFTERNOON JULY 27 OR MORNING JULY 28.

3. FURTHER, ZAMBIANS ADVISE THAT SWAPO HEAD NUJOMA MAY BE PARTICIPATING IN DEBATE.

4. QUESTION OF TITLE OF AGENDA ITEM REMAINS UP IN THE AIR. ITALIANS HAVE ACCEPTED BRITISH SUGGESTION THAT DISCUSSION BE DELAYED UNTIL WE HAVE A CLEARER IDEA OF ZAMBIAN DESIDERATA.

5. SOUTH AFRICAN MISSION ADVISES THAT ALTHOUGH PERMREP BOTHA IS IN WASHINGTON, THEY HAVE NOT YET DECIDED WHETHER TO PARTICIPATE IN DEBATE. SOUTH AFRICAN CHARGE STEWARD HAS REAFFIRMED THAT THEY WILL BE GUIDED BY WHAT ZAMBIANS HAVE TO SAY (USUN 2984 - NOTAL).

6. ZAMBIAN FOREIGN MINISTER MWALE HAS ASKED FOR APPOINTMENT WITH GOV SCRANTON JULY 27.  
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